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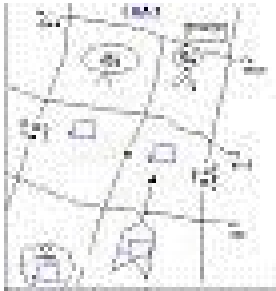
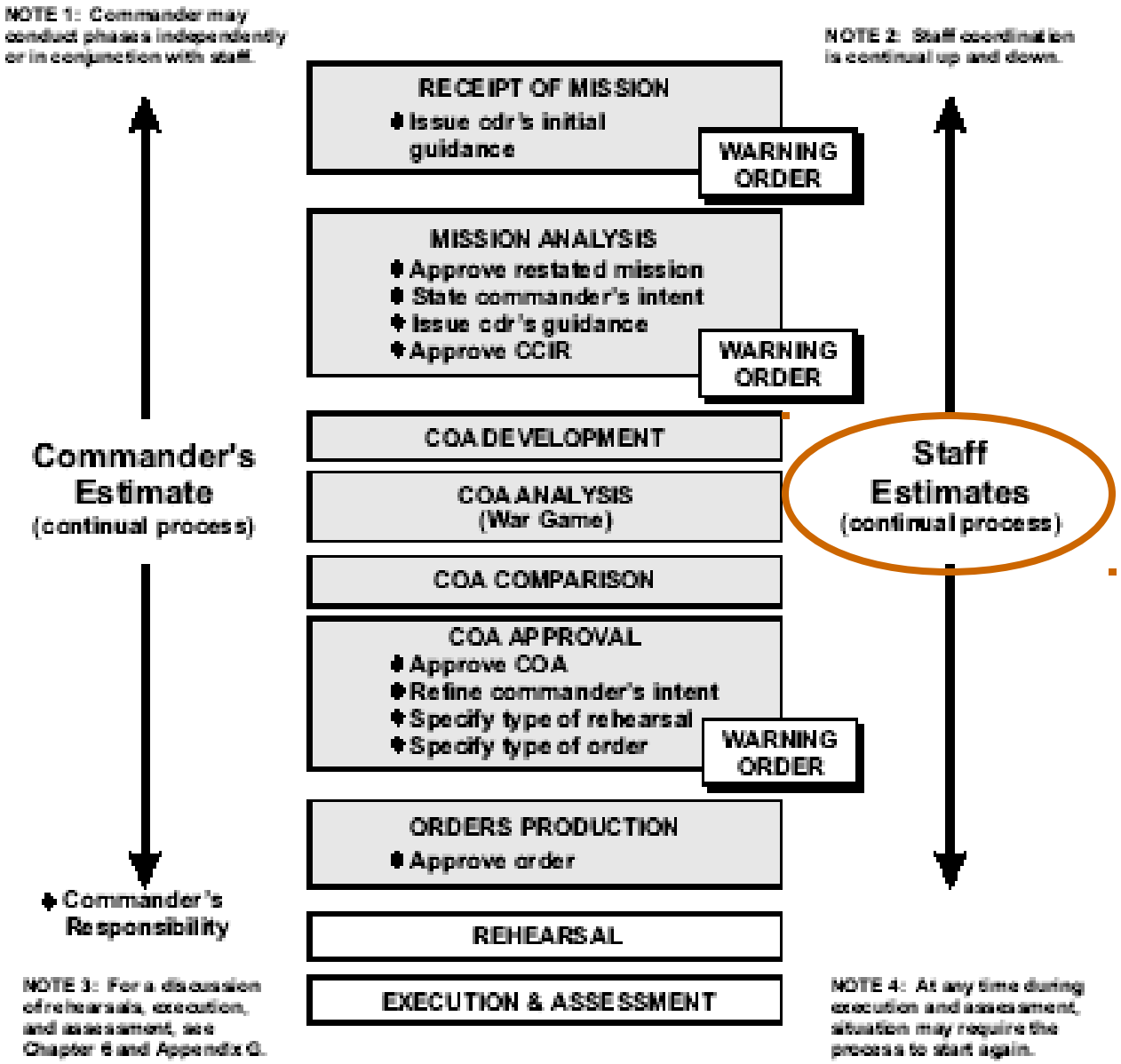


Military Decision Making Process (MDMP)

- *Decision making is knowing* if *to decide, then* when *and* what *to decide. It includes understanding the consequence of decisions. Decisions are the means by which the commander translates his vision of the end state into action*

FM 100-5, Staff Organization and Contents

MDMP Process


NOTE 1: Commander may conduct phases independently or in conjunction with staff.
NOTE 2: Staff coordination is continual up and down.
RECEIPT OF MISSION
Issue cdr's initial guidance
WARNING ORDER
MISSION ANALYSIS
Approve restated mission
State commander's intent
Issue cdr's guidance
Approve CCIR
WARNING ORDER
COA DEVELOPMENT
COA ANALYSIS (War Game)
COA COMPARISON
COA APPROVAL
Approve COA
Refine commander's intent
Specify type of rehearsal
Specify type of order
WARNING ORDER
ORDERS PRODUCTION
Approve order
REHEARSAL
EXECUTION & ASSESSMENT
Commander's Estimate (continual process)
Staff Estimates (continual process)
Commander's Responsibility
NOTE 3: For a discussion of rehearsals, execution, and assessment, see Chapter 6 and Appendix G.
NOTE 4: At any time during execution and assessment, situation may require the process to start again.

MDMP Model

- Receipt of Mission - told to do something
- Mission Analysis - defining the problem and determining who, what, where, when, why
- Course of Action Development - options suitable, feasible, acceptable, distinguishable, and complete
- Course of Action Analysis - pro's and con's
- Course of Action Comparison - which best completes the mission
- Course of Action Approval - best is chosen
- Orders Production - make and publish order

MDMP used for:

- Operations Plan (OPLAN): plan for military operations, *it might happen*
- Operations Order (OPORD): orders to conduct military operations, *it will happen*
- Service Support Plan (SSPLAN): information and instructions covering a OPLAN/OPORD service support requirements
- Contingency Plan: plan for anticipated events
- Concept Plan (CONPLAN): abbreviated plan or outline for operations needed considerable expansion or alteration

Staff Role

to collectively integrate information with sound doctrine and competence to assist the commander in making decisions

- Analyze mission
- Determine tasks
  - specified: specifically assigned, written, directed
  - implied: tasks not stated, but must be performed in order to meet a specified task
  - essential: tasks that must be performed to accomplish the mission
- Develop estimates

RM Involvement

- Determine funding requirements
- Determine funding sources
- Determine fiscal law implications: time, purpose, amount
- Cost capture and tracking methods
- Fund certification and responsibility
- Management Controls
- Non Governmental Organizations
- Host Nation, Interservice, Interagency Support

Basic Operations Order

- Situation
- Mission
- Execution
- Service Support
- Command and Signal

Basic Operations Order from RM perspective

- Situation Resources available: assets, equipment, host nation, coalition, Joint, funding, reimbursement
- Mission What we have to do: mission requirements, cost factors/ budget
- Execution How are we going to do it? What EORs, requirements, irregular needs to I have to procure
- Service Support What I have to do to support this: contract types, services and products
- CMD & Signal Who is in charge, my higher HQs, reporting requirements, cost capture

Adjacent Staff input to RM

- G1: personnel issues, special pay, services
- G2: intel and security
- G3: operations (major requirements driver)
- G4: logistical requirements: transportation, sustainment, supplies, procurement needs
- G5: civil affairs: local population concerns/assets
- G6: signal, automation
- KO: acquisition of products and services
- DCSRM: policy, guidance, reporting, cost capture
- SJA: legal review, authority agreements

Staff Requirements:
RM Translation

Tasks by EOR and Phase of the Operation:

- 1100- CIVPAY issues: overtime, temporary hires
- 2100- travel: per diem, incidentals, special allowances
- 2200- transportation: of soldiers and equipment (MILAIR, commercial, ship, rail, FEDEX)
- 2300- rents and utilities: “over and above” normal operations at home, abroad
- 2400- printing requirements: safety books, ROE books, “Most Wanted” Cards, tactical copier leases, flyers, propaganda leaflets

Staff Requirements:
RM Translation

2500- specific products and services at home, abroad (lumber, bulk fuel, gravel, pipes, cement, ATVs, horse blankets, saddles, SUVs)

2600- supplies, parts, POL, by type and for what. Army and Non Army managed.

3100- equipment needs; MTOE shortages filled or operation unique (body armor, radios, Clamshell tents, generators)

Scenario

On order, the 54th ID (M), will deploy a 500 soldier Task Force in support of Multinational Forces Observer (MFO) peace keeping in the Sinai for six months. All units, fire ~~team and above, will be g~~uard tower/ UN ~~observ~~er certified with indi~~vidual and crew served weapon~~s by XVIIIth Airborne Corps. Upon deployment, the Task Force is attached to MFO HQ, Rome, Italy. MFO specific train up, certification, deployment, redeployment, and recovery operations are reimbursed by the Arab Republic of Egypt, the State of Israel, and the United States of ~~America. X~~XVIIIth Airborne Corps is the controlling headquarters for US Forces.

RM Specified, Implied, Essential Tasks

Specified:

- **deploy Task Force**
- **Observer/Guard Certified by 18th ABC**
- 18th ABC is the HQ for the mission
- **Conduct peacekeeping operations**

Implied

- Contact RM at 18th ABC: policy, guidance
- Determine source of funding for requirements: MFO vs OPTEMPO
- **Acquire MFO funds**
- Determine MFO training needs: supplies, training enablers, instructors, etc
- **Acquire Transportation**
- MIPR to Sinai for support
- Establish APC/cost capture

DENOTES ESSENTIAL

RM OPORD ANNEX

Situation

- Purpose
- Enemy
- Friendly
- Assumptions: Cost or other staff specific
- Limitations: RM specific limits

Mission: Mission of RM in support of xx is yy

Execution

- Concept: list guidance for all phases
- Tasks
- Coordinating Instructions

Service Support

- Contracting, Logistic relationships, reporting requirements,

Command and Signal: command relationships, funding relationships, C4I for financial systems, RM location (DREAR)

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